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Applicant(s): Tracy Leitner Borts, et al.

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Docket No. : X-9872 **OFFICE OF PETITIONS**

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Arlington, VA 22202

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Final Office Action bearing an original mailing date of December 19, 2000, Applicants enclose herewith a petition to revive under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b), a request for continuing examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, a declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.132, a supplemental IDS and the following amendment and comments. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the following amendments that Applicants believe place the application in condition for allowance. Enclosed herewith is a petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorization for the office to charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 05-0840 in the name of Eli Lilly and Company.